

# CSWC Operational Period Summary

## 1800 July 05 2014 to 0600 July 06 2014



Cassel Fire, Shasta County. Photo Credit: KRCR 7 News



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# **SITUATION SUMMARY**

**Northern California Fires** (see *Fire Activity Section* for additional information):

## **Cassel Fire, Shasta County** (**New**)

### **Fire Information:**

Cassel Road at Thrush Road, Community of Cassel

Per Cal OES Fire Duty Officer and CALFIRE at 07/05/14 at 2231 hours:

- SRA
- Start Date / Time: 07/04/14 at 1844 hours
- 100 acres, Oak Woodland, 30% contained
- Forward rate of spread stopped
- Per Cal OES Law Duty Officer, Shasta County Sheriff's Office confirmed they went door-to-door to issue precautionary evacuations of the Cassel Guest Ranch area. There are no numbers at this time.
- Per CUEA, threatened High Tension Power Lines are currently free and clear and PG&E is monitoring

# **SITUATION SUMMARY**

**Northern California Fires** (see *Fire Activity Section* for additional information): **(Cont.)**

**\* Due to a system wide outage, ICS 209s were not available at the time of this report.**

## **Monticello Vegetation Fire, Yolo County**

### **Fire Information:**

Highway 128 near the Monticello Dam, Winters, Yolo County

Per Cal OES Fire Duty Officer and ICS 209 dated 07/05/14 at 1740 hours:

- SRA
- Start Date / Time: 07/04/14 at 2130 hours
- 5,000 acres, 15% contained
- Moderate Rate of Spread
- Residential Structures Threatened: 50
- Total Personnel Committed: 350
- Per Cal OES Law Duty Officer, Yolo County Sheriff's Office executed a Reverse 911 for voluntary evacuations to residents in Golden Bear Estates
- Per the Cal OES Inland Region Duty Officer, an evacuation shelter has been opened in Winters at the Winters Community Center.
- Cal OES Assistant Fire Chief Gary Humphrey is assigned to the incident
- Road Closures are in effect
- High Tension Power Lines threatened, PG&E is monitoring

# **SITUATION SUMMARY**

**Northern California Fires** (see *Fire Activity Section* for additional information): **(Cont.)**

## **Butts Incident, Vegetation Fire, Napa County**

### **Fire Information:**

Per Cal OES Fire Duty Officer and ICS 209 dated 07/05/14 at 1740 hours:

- 4,300 acres, 75% contained
- Residential Structures Threatened: 180 Destroyed: 2
- Other Minor Structures Destroyed: 7
- Fire Management Assistance Grant (FMAG) was approved. FEMA-5057-FM-CA
- Local Government Strike Teams were released on 07/05/14
- Total Personnel Committed: 974
- Cal OES Assistant Fire Chief John Salvate is assigned with one support unit
- Public Safety Communications has three technicians assigned to the incident
- Road Closures are in effect

# **SITUATION SUMMARY**

## **Northern California Fires (see *Fire Activity Section* for additional information): (Cont.)**

### **Modoc July Complex Modoc County**

#### **Fire Information:**

2 miles south of Dalton Reservoir

Per Cal OES Fire Duty Officer and ICS 209 dated 07/05/14 at 1745 hours:

- 1,650 acres, 75% contained
- Cal OES Fire Assistant Chief John Clary has been assigned to the Complex.

**Fires in the complex:** There are 15 fires in the Complex, including the Dalton, Dobie, Northern, and Janes.

### **Coleman, Vegetation Fire, Modoc County**

#### **Fire Information:**

25 miles east of Fort Bidwell, California

Per Cal OES Fire Duty Officer and ICS 209 dated 07/05/14 at 1717 hours:

- 15,198 acres, 75% contained

### **Gulch, Vegetation Fire, Modoc County**

#### **Fire Information:**

15 Miles North of Canby along Hwy 139

Per Cal OES Fire Duty Officer and ICS 209 dated 07/05/14 at 1745 hours:

- SRA/FRA
- Unified Command with CAL FIRE LMU and Modoc National Forest
- Start Date / Time: 07/04/14 at 1546 hours
- 5 Fires, 1600 acres, Grass and Brush, 75% contained
- 800 acres FRA, 800 acres SRA
- CAL FIRE Air and Ground Resources committed

# **SITUATION SUMMARY**

**Southern California Fires** (see *Fire Activity Section* for additional information):

## **Ranch, Vegetation Fire, Kern County**

### **Fire Information:**

10 miles west Lake Isabella, Kern County

Per Cal OES Fire Duty Officer and ICS 209 dated 07/05/14 at 1706 hours:

- FRA
- 150 acres, 0% contained
- Cooper Type 2 IMT assigned
- Local Government overhead assigned
- Fire is holding in place with the help of daily air support

# **SITUATION SUMMARY**

## **Motorcycle Rally, Hollister, San Benito County (No Change)**

- The City of Hollister is hosting a large motorcycle rally which is expected to have approximately 100,000 to 140,000 attendees at any given time. The rally is running until Sunday, 7/6/14. For the duration of the rally, several major Hollister streets will be closed.

## **Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought**

- SOC / Inland REOC remains activated in support of 2014 Drought

## **Camp San Luis Obispo Last Power Outage Reminder - Monday, July 7, 2014**

- The outage will start at 0730 and last most of the duty day. Please ensure sensitive electronics are unplugged prior to power being restored. This will impact CSTI from the aspect that their phones and Guest wireless/ Internet will be down. The servers should be up, but they will lose some functionality.

# WEATHER

## WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

### **NORTHERN CALIFORNIA AND CENTRAL COASTAL AREAS:**

#### **Eureka Weather:**

A strong ridge of high pressure building over the West Coast this weekend is allowing inland daytime temperatures to rise above normal. This heat wave will last through the middle of next week.

Monsoonal moisture approaching from the south will bring a slight chance of thunderstorms to parts of the interior Monday and Tuesday.

#### **San Francisco Weather:**

Temperatures will continue to warm Sunday and Monday with hot weather expected across the interior well away from the coast as high pressure over the desert southwest builds westward over California. Night and morning low clouds and fog will be confined to the immediate coast plus adjacent valleys. A cooling trend will develop by midweek with temperatures returning to near normal.

### **CENTRAL CALIFORNIA AND SOUTHERN SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY**

#### **Sacramento Weather:**

The forecast area will have hot temperatures through Monday under strong high pressure, with a gradual cooling trend through the rest of the week. There is a slight chance of thunderstorms over the mountains Monday through Friday with the greatest chances Tuesday afternoon and evening.

#### **Hanford Weather:**

High pressure anchored over the Four Corners Region will keep above normal temperatures across the central California interior through much of next week. Showers and thunderstorms will form over the desert area and Sierra Nevada as tropical moisture flows over the area.





# WEATHER

## WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

### **SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA:**

#### **Los Angeles Weather:**

A slight chance of afternoon and evening thunderstorms will continue for the San Gabriel Mountains and Antelope Valley through early next week as a warm, moist air mass remains in place. Above normal temperatures will continue through early next week as well, and then return to near normal as upper level high pressure weakens.

#### **Extreme Southwestern California Including Orange, San Diego, Western Riverside and Southwestern San Bernardino Counties:**

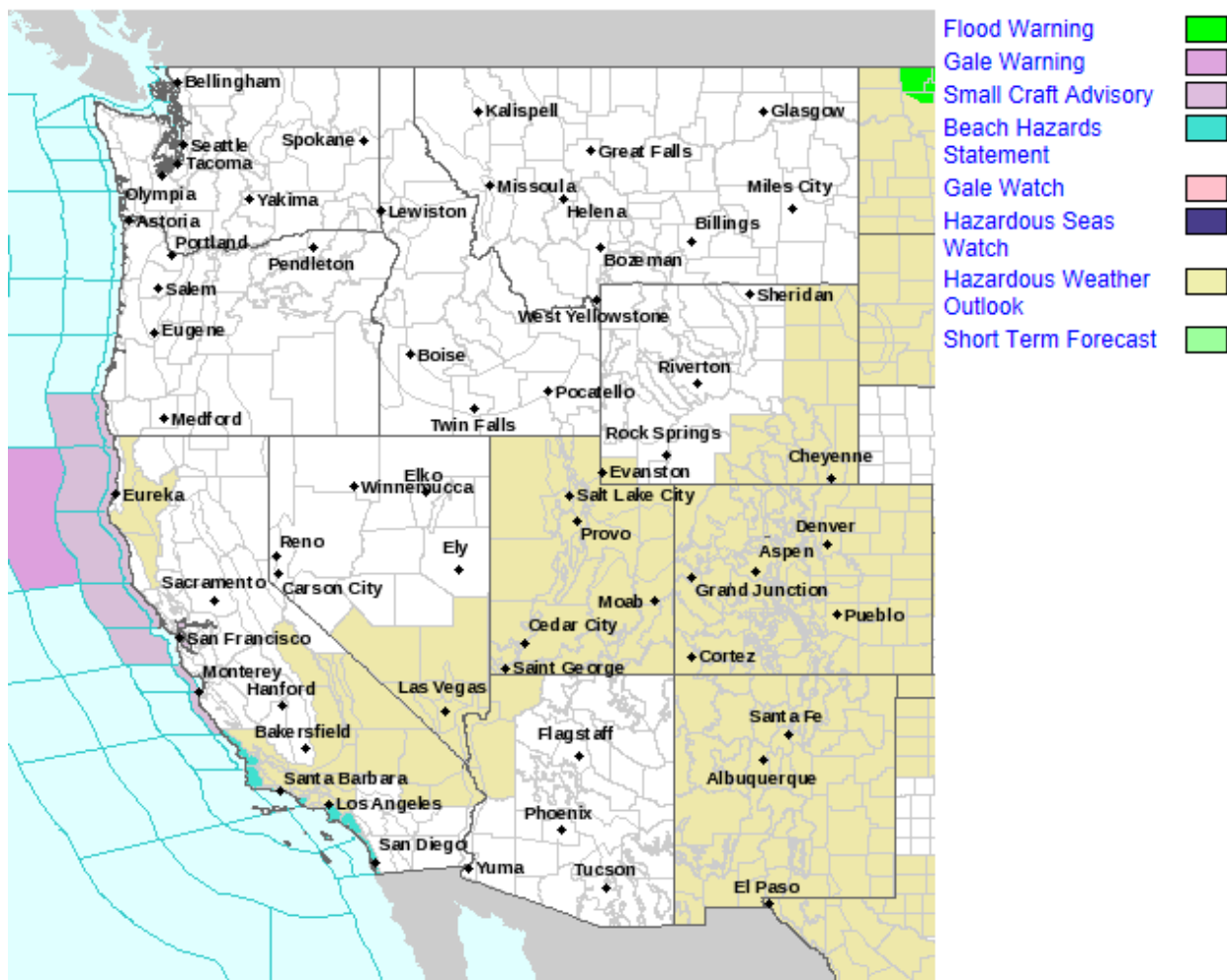
Slow drying of the atmosphere will gradually reduce the chances of afternoon and evening thunderstorms in the mountains and deserts through Monday. A possible influx of moisture on Tuesday would increase the chances for thunderstorms somewhat with minor day to day fluctuations into next weekend. Night and morning coastal low clouds and fog are expected to gradually return the next few days as the marine layer slowly deepens through midweek.

#### **Southeast California Weather:**

Monsoon moisture will continue over the region this week with some day to day fluctuations. The presence of the moist air mass will maintain daily chances of showers and thunderstorms. Today, the forecast area will have somewhat reduced storm chances compared to Saturday followed by somewhat better chances midweek.



# STATE WEATHER MAP



Last map update: Jul, 6th 2014 at 5:56:13 am MDT



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# **FIRE ACTIVITY**



## **Preparedness Levels:**

### **National Preparedness Level 1**

#### **Northern California**

Preparedness Level 3, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

#### **Southern California**

Preparedness Level 2, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

## **California Fire Potential & Weather Maps**

### **Southern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential**

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/8>

### **Northern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential**

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/10>

### **California Fire Weather Map Watches and Warnings**

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/firewx/main.php>

### **NWS California River Forecast Center:**

<http://www.cnrfc.noaa.gov/>

# FIRE ACTIVITY



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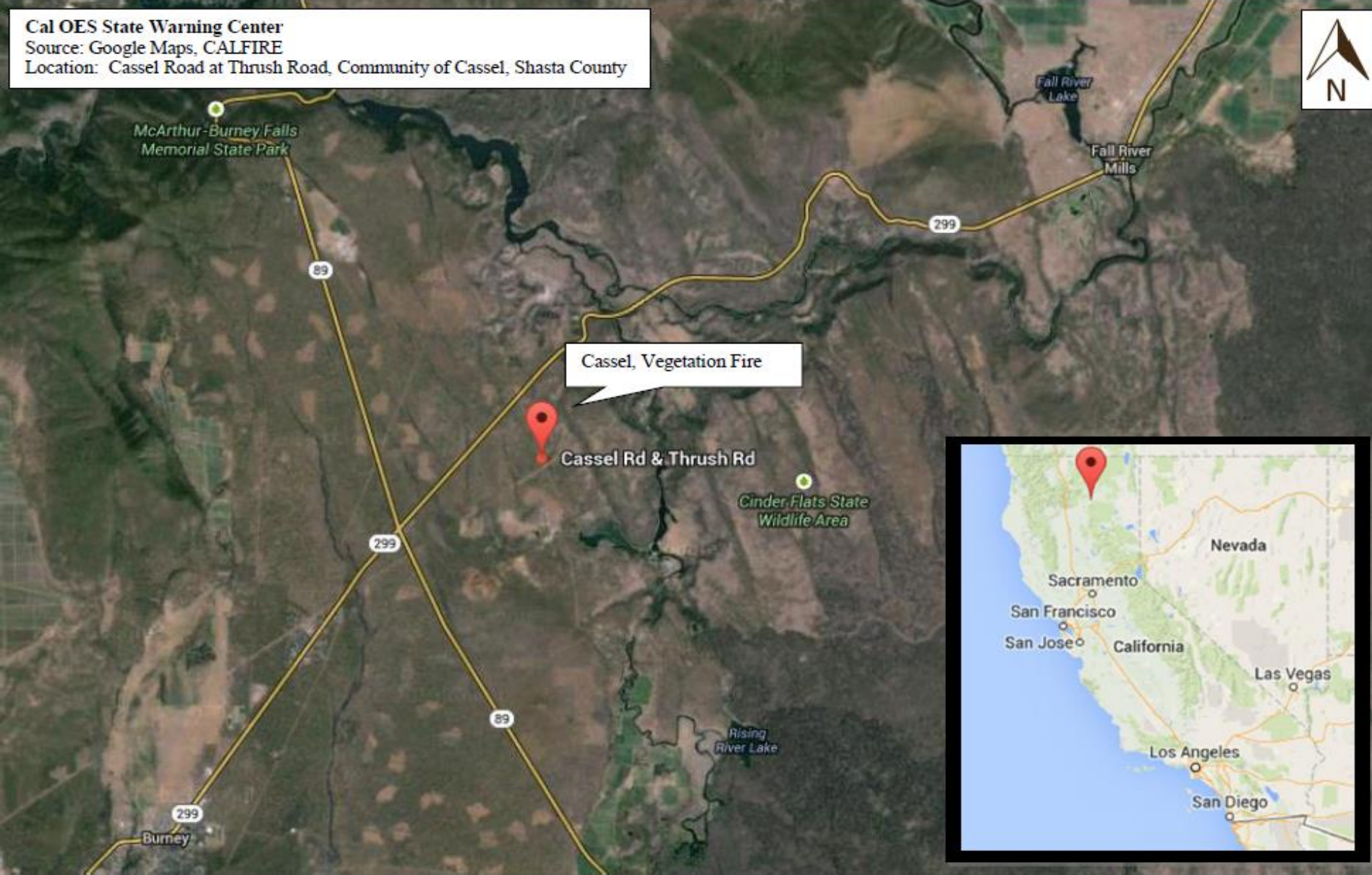
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**Cal OES State Warning Center**

Source: Google Maps, CALFIRE

Location: Cassel Road at Thrush Road, Community of Cassel, Shasta County



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### **Emergency Management:**

#### **Evacuations/Shelters**

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### **Cal OES Deployments:**

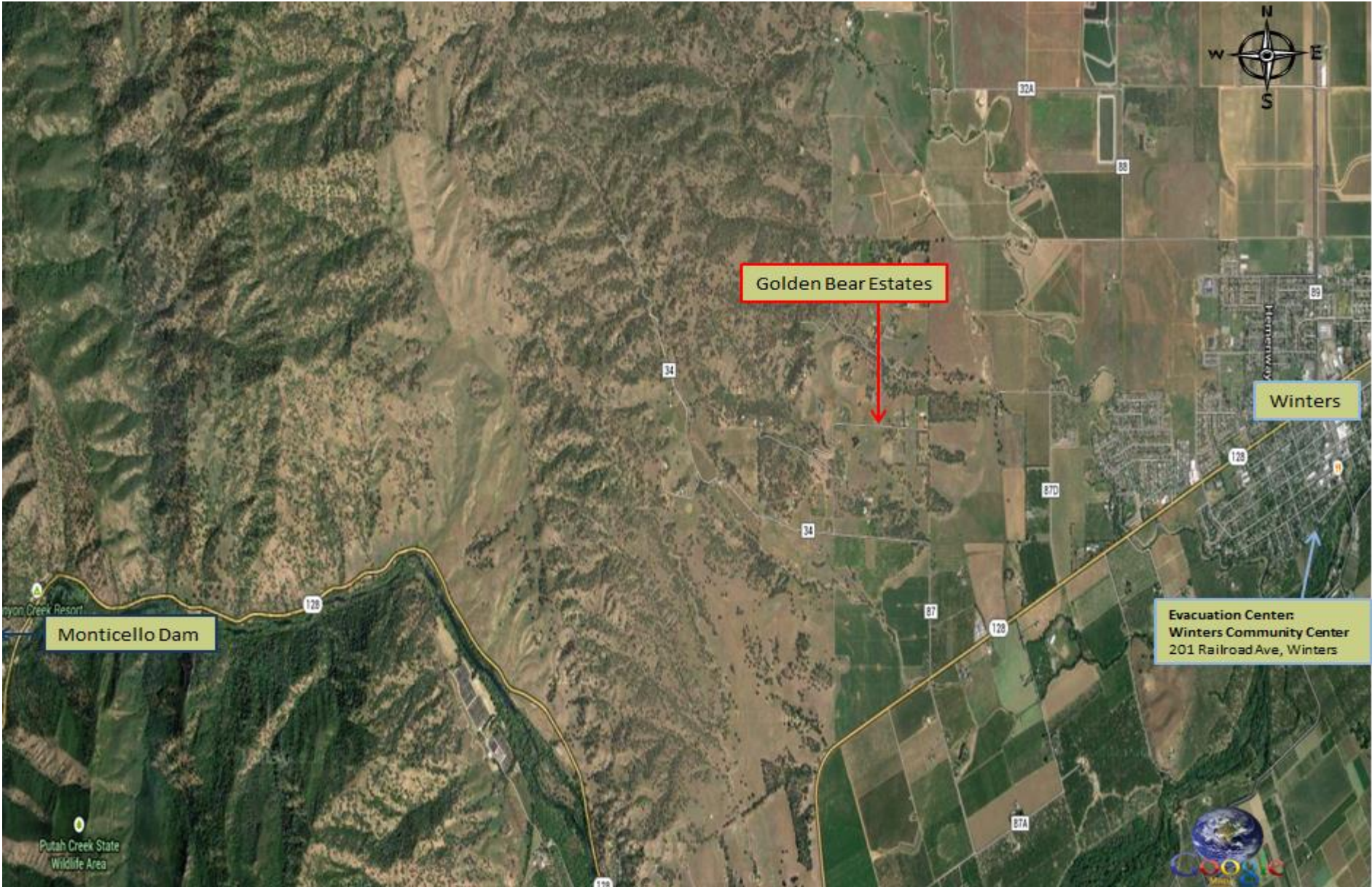
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### **Road Closures:**

- Road Closures are in effect for State Route (SR) 128 at Pleasant Valley Road between Winters and SR 121.

### **Critical Infrastructure:**

- High Tension Power Lines threatened, PG&E is monitoring



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### **Local Government Equipment Committed**

- Local Government Strike Teams were released on 07/05/14

**Total Personnel Committed: 974**

### **Cal OES Deployments**

- Cal OES Assistant Fire Chief John Salvate is assigned with one support unit
- Public Safety Communications has three technicians assigned to the incident.

### **Road Closures**

- Butts Canyon Road and Guenoc Road two miles west of the Lake County line remain closed
- Road closures being manned by California Highway Patrol





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# FIRE ACTIVITY

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- 150 acres, 20% contained
- Cooper Type 2 IMT assigned
- Local Government overhead assigned
- Fire is holding in place with the help of daily air support
- No Local Government commitment



# **CAL OES ACTIVATIONS**

## **Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought**

- The SOC is activated at Level 2 in support of the Drought State of Emergency from 0800-1700 hours daily.
- The Inland REOC is activated at Level 2 from 0800-1700 Monday through Friday or as needed.
- The Southern REOC is activated at Level 1.
- The Santa Barbara County OA EOC is activated at Level 2 to be handled by the duty officer for the purpose of monitoring activities and gaining situational awareness. The operational period is Monday – Friday, 0800-1700 hours.

## **Situational Summary**

On January 17, 2014 Governor Edmund G. Brown proclaimed a State of Emergency and directed state officials to take all necessary actions to prepare for drought conditions. The State Operation Center (SOC) is activated to implement objectives in support of the Governor's priorities. The lack of winter rain and snowfall has resulted in extremely dry conditions in many parts of the State. Reservoir levels are down significantly from where they should be on average for this time of year. If conditions continue without substantial rainfall, severe impacts to municipal water supplies, agriculture (plants and livestock) and firefighting capabilities are likely in store for the State over the next few months. Negative economic impacts will also result.

**\*\*As our state's rainy season comes to an end, it is highly unlikely that precipitation totals will increase significantly. This winter's below average rain and snowfall worsens conditions in this third straight dry year.\*\***

The drought could result in severe impacts to the municipal water supplies, wells, agriculture (plants and livestock) and firefighting capabilities for several months. The SOC continues to be activated to monitor the situation statewide, and support regional and local operational areas.

- The Taskforce continues to meet regularly to take actions that conserve water and coordinate state response to the drought.
- DWR has announced that water essential for health and safety will be delivered through the state water project. The current State Water Project Allocation is 5%.
- Cal OES continues to gather drought-related costs from state agencies and local governments.



## **Situational Summary**

The National Weather Service provided the following synopsis for the relationship of Blowing Dust Advisories and the drought conditions in southeast California: Dust storms are common due to increased thunderstorm activity and the winds produced with these storms, during monsoonal flows. The severity of the dust storms could be locally exacerbated by drought conditions. In any event, the public should monitor NWS for any advisories and warnings issued by NWS.

On July 1 2014, administration of the CDPH Drinking Water Program (DWP) transferred to the California State Water Resources Control Board (SWRCB) Division of Drinking Water. CDPH and the SWRCB entered a Memorandum of Understanding outlining a three-month transition period during which drought response activities and any other emergencies will be coordinated jointly between the two organizations.

# Drought Declarations/Resolutions/Proclamations:

## County Declarations/Resolutions/Proclamations:

Declarations/Resolutions/Proclamations			
<b>Inland Region</b>			
County	Date Signed	Request	Reaffirmation Received
Glenn	1/30/2014; 4/16/2014	State and Federal relief	3/10/2014
Kern	1/14/2014	Gubernatorial and Presidential	6/27/2014
Kings	1/14/2014	State and Federal assistance	6/3/2014
Madera	1/28/2014	No specific request	6/23/2014
Mariposa	5/13/2014	State and Federal assistance	7/2/2014
Merced	3/6/2014	No specific request	6/27/2014
Modoc	3/5/2014	No specific request	5/27/2014
San Joaquin	1/28/2014	No specific request	5/21/2014
Shasta	5/15/2014	No specific request	6/23/2014
Siskiyou	3/11/2014	Gubernatorial and Presidential	6/17/2014
Sutter	2/11/2014	Gubernatorial and Presidential	6/2/2014
Tulare	2/4/2014	CDAA and Federal assistance	6/25/2014
Tuolumne	2/4/2014	CDAA and Federal assistance	5/15/2014
Yuba	2/18/2014	Gubernatorial and Presidential	6/16/2014
<b>Coastal Region</b>			
County	Date Signed	Request	Reaffirmation Received
Lake	3/6/2014	CDAA and Federal assistance	
Mendocino	1/7/2014	No specific request	
Sonoma	2/25/2014	CDAA and Federal assistance	
<b>Southern Region</b>			
County	Date Signed	Request	Reaffirmation Received
Inyo	1/28/2014	CDAA	
Santa Barbara	1/17/2014; 5/23/2014	No Specific request; CDAA	
San Luis Obispo	3/11/2014	CDAA and Federal assistance	



# Declarations/Resolutions/Proclamations: (Cont.)

## City / Tribe / Special District Declarations/Resolutions/Proclamations:

Declarations/Resolutions/Proclamations		
City/Tribe/Special District		Request
<b>Inland Region</b>		
City of Live Oak, Sutter	5/12/2014	Declare Local Emergency State/Fed assistance
Placer County Water Agency Placer	2/6/2014	Local conservation and funding measures
Twain Harte Community Services Dist Tuolumne	1/29/2014	Enact District conservation measures
Tule River Tribe Tulare	1/30/2014	Enact Tribal emergency authorities
Lake Don Pedro CSD, Mariposa, Tuolumne	2/18/2014	Declare a Stage I Water Emergency
Lodi City, San Joaquin County	7/1/2014	Declare Local Emergency State/Fed assistance
Karuk Tribe Siskiyou, Humboldt	2/18/2014	Enact Tribal emergency authorities
Montague City, Siskiyou	4/14/2014	
Mountain House CSD, San Joaquin County	7/1/2014	Declaring Stage 1 Mandatory Water Conservation
Mariposa Public Utility District	2/4/2014	Enact District conservation measures
Nevada Irrigation District	5/13/2014	Adopting Stage II Drought Contingency Plan
Ripon City, San Joaquin County	7/1/2014	Mandatory Water Conservation
Tuolumne Utilities District	2/13/2014	Declare a Stage III Water Emergency
Yocha Dehe Wintun Nation, Yolo	3/25/2014	Enact Tribal emergency authorities
<b>Coastal Region</b>		
Hoop Valley Tribe Humboldt	1/20/2014	Enact Tribal emergency authorities
Yurok Tribe Del Norte, Humboldt	1/29/2014	Enact Tribal emergency authorities
City of Willits Mendocino	1/7/2014	Declare a Phase V Water Emergency
Brooktrails Township Community Svcs Dist, Mendocino	1/7/2014	
City of Calistoga Napa	2/4/2014	Declare a Stage II Water Emergency
City of St. Helena Napa	1/28/2014	Declare a Stage II Water Emergency
City of American Canyon Napa	2/4/2014	Declare a Stage I Water Emergency
City of San Juan Bautista	5/15/2014	Declare a Water Shortage Emergency
Sherwood Valley Pomo Indian Tribe, Mendocino	3/21/2014	Enact Tribal emergency authorities
<b>Southern Region</b>		
Carpinteria Valley Water District	2/12/2014	Declare a Stage I Water Emergency
Meiners Oaks Water District	3/4/2014	Declare a Stage II Water Emergency
City of Santa Barbara	2/12/2014	Declare a Stage I Drought Condition
Montecito Water District, Santa Barbara	2/11/2014	Declare a Water Emergency w/Conserv. measures
Goleta Water District	3/25/2014	Declare a Stage I Water Emergency
City of Santa Barbara	2/12/2014 5/21/2014	Declare a Stage I / Stage II Water Emergency



# County Drought Task Force Meetings

Information as of 7/3/14

County Drought Task Force Upcoming Meetings		
Inland Region		
County	Previous Meetings	Upcoming Meetings
Butte	5/19/2014	11/1/2014
Kern	5/15/2014	TBD
Kings	6/13/2014	7/18/2014
Madera	6/18/2014	7/29/2014
Merced	6/5/2014	7/10/2014
Modoc	2/12/2014	TBD
Nevada	5/29/2014	7/16/2014
Placer	3/12/2014	TBD
Plumas	5/5/2014	7/7/2014
Sacramento	6/19/2014	7/3/2014
San Joaquin	6/25/2014	7/16/2014
Siskiyou	5/22/2014	TBD
Stanislaus	6/19/2014	8/7/2014
Sutter	6/9/2014	7/7/2014
Tehama	5/19/2014	TBD
Tulare	6/23/2014	7/14/2014
Tuolumne	6/12/2014	TBD
Yolo	7/3/2014	TBD
Coastal Region		
Hoop Valley Tribe	6/18/2014	TBD
Lake	N/A	TBD
Mendocino	5/28/2014	TBD
Monterey	5/29/2014	TBD
Napa	5/28/2014	TBD
San Mateo	5/22/2014	7/7/2014
Southern Region		
Orange	6/25/2014	TBD
San Luis Obispo	6/18/2014	7/24/2014
Santa Barbara	6/25/2014	TBD



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# CAL OES MISSIONS

## Ongoing Cal OES Missions

- **2014-LAW-3978**, Update: On 7/4/14 at 1435 hours, San Bernardino County Sheriff's Department (SBSD) cancelled the K-9 portion of the request. Cal OES Law Branch K-9 Coordinator advised. The Mine Team response from LASD is still a go for Saturday, 7/5/14. Situation: On 7/3/2014 at 1523 hours, The SBSD is requesting mutual aid resources to assist in the search for human remains as part of an active, ongoing homicide investigation in the Twenty Nine Palms area. The request is for a mine team and HRD K-9's to search undisclosed area's on Saturday and Sunday, July 5 & 6. The Law Branch Region I Coordinator contacted the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department for their Mine Team and Cal OES Law Branch is coordinating the HRD K-9 response.
- **2014-LAW-3981**, On 7/3/2014 at 1726 hours, the Glenn County Sheriff's Office requested SAR resources to assist in the search for human remains in the Sacramento River. On 6/21/14, a kayaker located human remains while on the River and notified authorities. Glenn County SO Detectives have been searching the area but with negative results and are requesting a mutual aid HRD K-9 to assist in a search for additional remains on Monday, 7/07/14. Butte County SO has agreed to assist with the mission and are coordinating directly with Glenn County.

# CAL OES MISSIONS

## Ongoing Cal OES Missions

- **2014-LAW-2798**, El Dorado County is planning an in-county SAR exercise on 07/15/14 for their volunteers and have requested the assistance of the California National Guard (CNG) aviation assets to support the exercise. Elements of the exercise will include an orientation to the various CNG air assets (H72, H60 and CH47), hoist training, patient packaging for air evacuation and ground team insertion and extraction training.
- **2014-LAW-2481**, The 95th CST will provide area monitoring, secure communications, and WMD expertise for the NHRA Racing Event at Sonoma Raceway July 25-27, 2014. They will assist with advanced planning and be pre-positioned prior to the start of the event.
- **2014-LAW-2483**, The 95th CST will provide area monitoring, secure communications, and WMD expertise for the IRL Racing Event at Sonoma Raceway August 22-24, 2014. They will assist with advanced planning and be pre-positioned prior to the start of the event.

# CAL OES MISSIONS

## Closed Cal OES Missions

- **2014-LAW-4000**, On 7/5/14 at 1643 hours the Air Force Rescue Coordination Center (AFRCC) advised that a PLB was sounding near Shaver Lake, in Fresno County. The Cal OES Law Duty Officer is coordinating. On 7/5/14 at 2115 hours, AFRCC advised this was an accidental activation. **Mission Closed.**



**Mission:**

We protect lives and property, build capabilities, and support our communities for a resilient California.

*We achieve our mission by serving the public through effective collaboration in preparing for, protecting against, responding to, recovering from, and mitigating the impacts of all hazards and threats.*